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WEATHER REPORT

Fair and warmer tonight; Friday partly cloudy and warmer; gentle to moderate shifting winds, becoming southerly. High tide 11:38 a. m. and 11:47 p. m.

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DISAVOWAL BY GERMANY

Bernstorff Says Fay Had no Connection With The Government

CAN BRING THE PROOF

Evidence Lacking to Show Attempt Was Made to Destroy Ammunition Ship of Allies

Washington, Oct. 28.—Count von Bernstorff, the German Ambassador, has telegraphed the State Department that Robert Fay, arrested by Federal authorities at New York for conspiracy to place bombs on departing ships, had no connection with the German Secret Service or the German Government.

With this assurance the State Department is disposed to leave it to the courts to deal with the alleged conspiracy to attach explosives to vessels carrying munitions of war for the Allies.

New York, Oct. 28.—Federal grand jury consideration of the cases of the five men charged with plotting to destroy munition ships of Allies will begin next month. This was announced by United States Attorney H. Snowden Marshall, after a conference with William J. Flynn, chief of the Secret Service, and detectives who arrested the men.

After revising all the alleged evidence held by the Government against the men — Robert Fay, Walter L. Scholz, Paul Daeche, Dr. Herbert Kienble and Max Breitung and giving special attention to the confession of Fay, Mr. Marshall said the Government was not convinced that all those implicated had been arrested.

"Have any more warrants been issued?" Mr. Marshall was asked.

"No more warrants have been issued and no more arrests are contemplated for the present,'" he replied "yet there may be further arrests later. We do not believe that those most responsible for the conspiracy have yet been found. I cannot give any intimation as to the character of a further move, if there is to be any. The cases of the men already arrested will go before the November grand jury.

"We have much material gathered as evidence which still has to be digested. One of the acts of the conspiracy was the actual fixing of a bomb to a ship for experimental purposes. Our inquiry has not disclosed that any bomb was placed on a ship with intent to blow up the ship. Nor does our information indicate that Fay, who says he was a lieutenant in the German army, was acting in a way other than on his own responsibility."

While the United States Attorney's force was working on the preparation of the case for the grand jury the detectives were busy in Weehawken and Hoboken, N. J., gathering explosives and acids alleged to have been used by Fay and Scholz, his brother in law, in experimenting with bombs, which, according to Fay's confession, were to be placed on the rudders or propellers of ships, so timed that they would explode after the vessels left New York, The material gathered at Fay's room in Weehawken and at a boathouse on the Hudson, where Fay experimented, consisted of 400 pounds of chlorate of potash, 300 pounds of dynamite and several suit cases of percussion caps. The explosives were deposited with the Fire Department for safekeeping.

Breitung, cousin of E. N. Breitung, a mining man and shipowner, was the only one of the five alleged conspirators who obtained liberty on bond. He appeared before a United States Commissioner today and furnished $25,000 bond for his hearing on November 4.

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CLEAR WAY TO TURKEY

Teutons Now in Position to Send Aid to Constantinople

London, Oct. 28—The German Army which crossed the Danube at Orsova has joined hands with the Bulgarians, who invaded Servia near Prahovo, and the Central Powers now have an open road through Northeastern Serbia and Bulgaria to the Aegean Sea and Constantinople.

They are thus in a position to send guns and munition by river and railway to their Bulgarian and Turkish allies, who will be greatly strengthened thereby.

The invasion of the northern portions of Serbia by the Austro-Germans continues apace, while Bulgaria is putting forth a strong effort to secure control of additional sections of the Belgrade-Saloniki Railway.

So far as the north is concerned, Serbia, it is feared by her allies, is doomed, but in the south, reinforcement by the British and French, who are now fighting by her side, Serbia is using all her strength to throw the Bulgarians back. After the French victory at Krivolak the Serbians, according to the Athens report were able to reoccupy Veles, an important railway and road junction just south of Uskup, where a big battle is still in progress.

It is argued here that if the Bulgarians can be held in the south until Anglo-French reinforcements which are now on the way arrive. Bulgaria may yet be robbed of Macedonia, on which she has set her heart. But the Allies will also have to make an attempt to block the Germans road to Turkey and their big attack may be directed elsewhere.

The internal situation of Bulgaria which is reported serious, may have some effect on the campaign. A military conspiracy against King Ferdinand, Athens dispatches say, has been unearthed and the leaders have been shot. Many of the inhabitants of Bulgaria are said to be still loyal to Russia and showing disinclination to join the colors.

The Roumanians, too, are displaying some uneasiness as to the inactivity of their Government, and an agitation in favor of the Allies is being carried on, according to unofficial reports, by influential leaders. The Allies, however, are depending on their own resources and arranging to throw into the Balkans as many men as can be spared. At the present time they cannot weaken the other fronts, as the Germans are showing considerable activity.

The latter have made still another counter-attack in the attempts to recapture La Courtine in Champagne which the French recently took from them. Strong German patrols, heralding an attack, were also observed in the Loos region, but were dispersed.

The Germans continue their attacks against the Russians in the Riga and Dvinsk districts and claim to have penetrated the Russian positions near the railway line north of Dvinsk. They could not hold all the ground gained, as the Russians launched immediate counter-attacks.

While the position in this region remains serious for the Russians, they appear, on the whole to be holding their own. In the South, on the other hand, along the Styr river and Galician frontier, the Russians report successes both in carrying through their attacks and repulsing German attacks.

The Italians are persisting in their offensive, and although their progress is slow, they seemingly are making advances.

BODY-GUARD FOR EDISON

San Francisco, Oct. 28—Anonymous letters threatening the life of Thomas A. Edison because he has been named a member of the National Defense Board by President Wilson have been received by the great inventor during his visit here and have caused the local chief of police to detail a private body-guard of detectives to protect him as long as he is in the city. It is just learned today that Edison has been under this protection during his whole visit.

DEATH NOTICE

Died, suddenly, at her home, 805 King street, Tuesday, October 26th, 1915, MARTHA A. WHEATLEY, widow of Benedict Wheatley, 78 years old. Funeral from the residence, Friday, October 29th, 11 a. m. Friends invited. Interment private.

HONORS TO ALEXANDRIANS

New Officers Elected by Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons

J. W. S. BUTT G. H. P.

J. E. W. Timberman Made Grand Scribe, and J. E. Alexander, Grand Lecturer

Three Alexandrians were honored at the meeting of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Masons, held at Richmond yesterday. J. E. W. Timberman, was elected as grand scribe, the third highest position in the grand chapter. J. E. Alexander was re-elected assistant grand lecturer and a member of the committee on work, and W. B. Davis, was appointed district deputy grand high priest for the first district of Virginia.

According to custom, the succession of officers was as follows; Isaac H. Adams, jr., was succeeded by James W. S. Butt, of Portsmouth, as grand high priest; John R. Charleton, grand king; J. E. W. Timberman, Alexandria, grand scribe; George W. Poe re-elected grand treasurer; James B. Blanks, of Petersburg, re-elected grand secretary; James Bowman, of Roanoke, grand captain of the host James H. Price, Richmond, grand principal so-journer; John T. Cochran, of The Plains, grand royal arch captain; E. Fenno Heath, of Newport News, grand master third vail; William Chapman, of Portsmouth, grand master second vail, and J. C. Greenlay, Lynchburg, grand master first vail—the latter being the new man placed in the line of grand officers.

Rev. F. T. McFaden, D.D., was elected grand chaplain; Oscar J Adams, grand marshal, and James A. Pamplin, grand tiler.

The committee on work, all being reappointments, consists of W. J. Hubard, of Richmond, grand lecturer; James E. Alexander, of Alexander, assistant grand lecturer; James H. Price, James Bowman, William Chapman and John T. Cochran.

A past grand high priest's jewel was presented to the retiring grand high priest, Isaac H. Adams, jr., by J. Gus Hankins, on behalf of the members of the grand chapter.

George W. Kendrick, past grand high priest of Pennsylvania, was introduced and welcomed by Dr. Joseph W. Eggleston. Mr. Kendrick, in a short address, spoke of the good fellowship between the only two independent grand chapter jurisdictions in the United States.

The meeting of the grand commandery, Knights Templer, convenes in Richmond today, and will be attended by the representatives of Old Dominion Commandery, No. 11, of this city.

FIVE MEMBERS RESIGN

Object to Participation in Panama Interdenominational Missionary Conference

New York Oct, 28—Five members of the board of missions of the Episcopal church tendered their resignations Monday when the quarterly meeting of the board refused by a vote of 26 to 13 to rescind their resolution, adopted last Monday, to participate in the Panama interdenominational missionary conference in February.

The Roman Catholic church, through its missions, several months ago, declined the invitation to participate in the Panama conference because it believed the plans of the conference were hostile to the Roman Catholic church.

The Episcopal board of missions was able to reach a vote only after five hours of controversy, much of it heated and marked the most turbulent meeting the board ever held, according to several older members.

The five members who tendered their resignations were Bishop Reginald H. Weller, Fond Du Lac, Wis.; Bishop G. Mott Williams, Marquette, Mich.; Bishop Alfred Harding, Washington, D. C.; Rev. Dr. William T. Manning of Trinity church, New York city.

LOCAL BREVITIES

The Alexandria Gun Club will hold a meeting in the Chamber of Commerce tonight at 8 o'clock.

The ladies' aid society of the Second Presbyterian Church will conduct a sale and give a supper at the Westminister Building tonight. The supper will be from six to eight o'clock.

The board of Governors of the Anti-Tuberculosis Society, were hostesses yesterday afternoon at a tea and loan closet shower held in Lee Camp Hall. Funds derived from the affair will be used for the support of the visiting nurse.

SUBMARINES WORRY GERMANS

British Blockade of Undersea Craft Proves Effective

London, Oct. 28—It is learned here from a high authority that the British submarine blockade of German Baltic ports is most effective. German steamers at Lulea and other port have been ordered not to sail.

Lulea is a Swedish port from which large shipments of ore have been made to Germany. These imports recently were reported to be increasing. The submarines, it believed here are extending their operations to this area in an effort to further to cripple the German industries. Russian undersea boats are co-operating with the British in the blockade.

Information reached here from Berlin states that officials there admit that the situation is serious. Count Reventlow, the naval writer, discussing the situation in the Deutsche Tages-Zeitung says:

"The blocking of the Baltic against British submarines undoubtedly is a tough problem. They are able to get through the great belt, notwithstanding the Danish mines.

"When the Baltic is frozen it will be possible to discover the British submarines bases."

ROB BANK, SHOOT CASHIER.

Bandits Escape With $2000 After Daylight Raid in Texas.

Marble Falls, Tex. Oct. 28.—Two unmasked men Tuesday held up and robbed the First National Bank of $2,000, after fatally wounding Robert H. Heinetz, bookkeeper. The robbers escaped toward the Colorado River, pursued by half a dozen posses of citizens.

Heinetz, was shot through the abdomen when he attempted to reach a pistol under his desk. The robbers then forced Walter Page, assistant cashier, to open the safe. They took all the currency in sight and fled.

BRITISH ARREST AMERICANS.

Edward Weinacht Accused of Trading With Hostile Interests.

London, Oct. 28.—Edward Weinacht a shipping agent and an American citizen, was remanded in Bow Street Court yesterday on a charge of trading with hostile interests. He was released on $5,000 bail.

Until a year ago Mr. Weincht was European manager of the Adams Express Company. He severed his connection with the company and returned to New York, on August 11, 1914. He then obtained an emergency passport which set forth that he was a native of New York.

BRITISH TANKER TORPEDOED

Sunk In Mediterranean By German U-Boat—Crew Safe.

Seattle, Oct. 28.—The British tank steamer H. C. Henry, when two days out from Alexandria, Egypt, in the Mediterranean Sea, was torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine, according to a cablegram received by the Pacific Creosoting Company, of Seattle, owners of the vessel.

No lives were lost according to the message, which gave no other details.

DEATH NOTICE.

Died, October 28, at 1:57 a. m. at her home, 301 Queen street, Mrs. CATHERINE C. YOUNG, wife of Banner T. Young. Funeral notice later (Washington, Baltimore and Philadelphia papers, please copy.)

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to express our sincere thanks to the firemen of Alexandria who so valiently worked on the fire which destroyed our mill yesterday morning. AITCHESON & BRO.

FIFTY CHILDREN PERISH IN BLAZE

Twenty Burned and Crushed Bodies Taken From Ruins of School

EXPLOSION AND FIRE

Conflagration Starts After Five Hundred Children Had Gathered for Morning Lessons

Peabody, Mass., Oct. 28—Twenty children are known to be dead as the result of a fire, following an explosion in the basement of the St. John's parochial school.

Twenty burned and crushed bodies have been taken out, and it is certain that as many more are still in the building.

Fire broke out shortly after 500 children had gathered for the morning session.

That the death list will probably exceed fifty, is considered certain. The instant following the explosion the children ran for the doors and windows in wild disorder.

The big main door at the front of the three-story brick building opens inward, and before the first to reach there could swing them back they were crushed up against it by those behind. Others who ran to the windows and fire escapes became bewildered and jumped to the ground.

Before the fire apparatus arrived neighbors came to the rescue with blankets and everything that could be used to catch the children as they jumped.

Those on the lower floors of the three-story brick building were thrown into panic and rushed about beyond control of their teachers. Most of those on the lower floor escaped, but many were trampled and some overcome by the smoke.

When the fire department arrived the whole building was a seething furnace. Flames were leaping through all of the windows.

So rapidly did the flames spread that many of the children sought to escape through windows. Many were killed or seriously injured by jumping, it is reported.

The firemen were unable to fight their way through this crush, and were forced to fight the fire from ladders.

As soon as the Sisters of the school could talk in their excitement they declared that many of the children on the upper story had been unable to escape, and undoubtedly had lost their lives.

LEE MEMORIAL HOME

Purchase Building at Northeast Corner of Cameron and Fairfax Sts.

The property at the corner of Fairfax and Cameron streets, one of the old ante-revolutionary homes of Alexandria, was purchased today from Douglass Stuart, special commissioner, by the Ann Lee Memorial Home for the aged. The purchase was consummated by Leopold Ruben, chairman of the ways and means committee. The building is to be remodeled and for this purpose a bazaar will be given early next month.

DEATH OF MRS. DEAKINS.

Mrs. Mary Deakins, wife of Mr. J. R. H. Deakins, died at her residence southeast corner of Prince and Henry streets, at ten o'clock this morning. The deceased was a native, of Snow Hill, Md., She had resided in Alexandria with her husband many years.

Sturgeon, hailbut, red salmon, salt water tailors, blue fish, black bass, rock fish, croakers, butter fish, salt water trout, will be on sale the balance of the week by GEORGE E. PRICE and CO.

HALLOW'EEN DANCE.
At McBurney's Hall.
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 30th.
A prize will be given to the best masked person. Good music and a good time promised to all who attend.

PLAINTIFF SENT TO JAIL

Winchester Woman Accused Of Procuring Perjury In Will Case

Winchester, Va., Oct. 28—The case of Mrs. Emma G. Anderson against the heirs-at-law of her aunt, the late Mrs. Lucy Barrett, before Judge Thomas W. Harrison and a jury in the Corporation Court yesterday resulted in Mrs. Anderson being sent to jail.

It involved validity of a will, alleged to have been made by Mrs. Barrett in favor of Mrs. Anderson, by which the latter was to receive a house and contents. The will in favor of Mrs. Anderson, together with two other alleged wills of Mrs. Barrett, was offered for probate several months ago, but none was admitted.

At the time the will in favor of Mrs. Anderson was offered, Mrs. Margaret Grant and Miss McLess Strosnyder, young women of this city, declared under oath before Judge Harrison they had witnessed the document. Mrs. Barrett was known to have been a woman of marked eccentricities and Judge Harrison concluded to leave the matter to a jury.

Subsequently, Mrs. Anderson employed Attorneys James P. Reardon and Harry R. Kern to represent her in a suit to have the alleged will admitted. This will Mrs. Anderson testified was dictated to her by Mrs. Barrett and signed by the testator.

A jury had been selected and the stage was set for the trial yesterday. Tuesday night, however, Mrs. Grant broke down and confessed to Mr. Reardon that it was after the death of Mrs. Barrett that she had signed as a witness the will. Miss Strosnyder yesterday made a similar confession, both declaring they were not aware of the import of what they did.

Messrs. Reardon and Kern notified Judge Harrison and R. Gray Williams, counsel for heirs-at-law, of the confessions and withdrew from the case.

Mrs. Anderson was subsequently charged with subornation of perjury, and Mr. Reardon resumed his official role as prosecuting attorney and scathingly arrainged Mrs. Anderson in the Police Court. She entered a plea of guilty and Magistrate Krebs sentenced her to six months in jail.

Mrs. Anderson wept bitterly when sentence was pronounced. She declared that her health was very poor and that she would die if sent to jail.

In the Corporation Court the Anderson suit was dismissed. Judge Harrison telling the jury the petitioner had deceived her attorneys. Dr. William P. McGuire, who was Mrs. Barrett's physician for some years, had already testified that he was satisfied her "mind was so impaired that she was unable to make an intelligent disposition of her property." Dr. McGuire related that she would wander about her yard without clothing, that she would not wear underclothes or have fire in the coldest weather, that she labored under the delusion that she did not have sufficient money to buy necessary food, and would eat out of garbage cans.

Mrs. Barrett lived alone many years. She was found dead July 10 last in her home by a neighbor, having succumbed to heart failure.

FRENCH CABINET RESIGNS

Aristide Briand Expected to Succeed Vivian

Paris, Oct. 28—Premier Viviani has offered his resignation as head of the French cabinet.

Aristide Briand, who has held many cabinet posts, and was premier at one time, is expected to succeed him. Re-organization of the entire ministry will follow, it is officially announced, following presentation of the resignation of every member.

The shake-up is attributed mainly to general disatisfaction with the government's foreign policy, especially in connection with the German diplomatic victory, which brought Bulgaria into the war on the side of the Austro-Germans.

DEATH NOTICE.

On Wednesday, October 27, 1915, at 9 o'clock, p. m. at her residence, 118 south Royal street, Mrs. MARY A. HARRISON, relict of Joshua Harrison, in the 92d year of her age. Funeral Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

DOES NOT RAISE MERCHANTS' TAX

Richmond Authorities Pronounce the Assertion Preposterous

STATEMENT IS ISSUED

New State Law Alleged to be More Favorable to Merchants Than Law Previously in Force

Richmond, Oct. 28—City tax authorities yesterday pronounced preposterous the reported fear of Richmond merchants that the new tax system will mean the collection from them in taxes this year, about $300,000 more than should be assessed against them under an equitable interpretation of the new tax laws.

"Merchants will pay no more taxes proportionately to the city and State combined this year than they did last year," said City Auditor Crenshaw. "While there has been a reclassification of the tax subjects, the net effect of the change will be to leave the aggregate State and city merchants' tax just where it was before the new system was adopted.

"The merchants of this city have absolutely nothing to complain of as far as the taxes assessed against them are concerned," said Commissioner of the Revenue Henry E. Tresnon. "The 25-cent increase in the personal property rate paid by them to the city this year is offset exactly by the 25-cent reduction in the rate charged on the same class of property by the State.

"There is absolutely nothing to justify the assertion that local merchants will be called upon to pay something like $300,000 too much because of the application of the city's $1.40 tax on capital employed in business to socalled intangibles reported to be held by merchants in the estimated sum of $28,000,000.

"If the merchants of the city hold $28,000,000 worth of intangibles they have never before reported them, and, as far as I know, have not yet reported them. If they actually own this enormous amount of intangibles they have evaded taxation on them in the past and should pay the tax required by law, which is 30 cents on the $100, and not $1.40.

Before the enactment of the new tax laws merchants paid a State tax of 35 cents per $100 on tanbible personal property other than capital employed in business, and a city tax of $1.40 per $100 on personal property and business capital. In addition to these taxes, they paid a State tax of $5 per $1,000 on the first $2,000 of purchases, $3 per $1,000 on the next $48,000, and $1 per $1,000 on all purchases in excess of $50,000. On purchases agreegating $100,000, therefore, a merchant paid a State tax of $205.

Under the system now in force, merchants pay a State tax of 10 cents on the $100 on tangible personal property other than capital employed in business, a city tax of $1.40 per $100 on capital employed in business and a city tax of $1.65 on the $100 on personal property other than business capital.

The state, in 1914, imposed a 35-cent tax on tangible personal property where it imposes only a 10-cent tax now. Offsetting this decrease is the 25-cent increase in the city's rate on personal property, which was $1.40 in 1914 and is $1.65 this year.

The State tax on purchases as far as the small merchant is concerned, has been reduced. The new rate, is per $1,000 $5 on the first $2,000 and $2 per $1,000 on the next $98,000. Under last year's law, $48,000 of this amount would have been subject to a $3 tax. The total State tax on purchases amounting to $100,000 is this year $206—an increase of $2 over the total tax on $100,000 last year.

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CANDIDATES FOR BENCH

Most Alexandria Lawyers Favor F. W. Sims, of Louisa, as Judge Keith's Successor

Alexandria attorneys are greatly interested in the election, which will be held by the General Assembly of Virginia at its next session which commences in February, of a judge of the Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia, and petitions are now being circulated in this city in the interest of two of the candidates, Judge F. W. Sims, of Louisa county, and Thomas R. Keith, of Fairfax county. The majority of the Alexandria attorneys as well as those of Alexandria county have endorsed the petition of Judge Sims.

The vacancy on the Supreme bench will be caused by the retirement of Judge James Keith, of Warrenton, the president of the court. Judge Keith has announced that he will not be a candidate for re-election and will retire at the end of his present term.

While the five judges can be elected from any section of the state custom has divided the state into five divisions and the vacancy will be filled by the election of a judge from this section of the state, comprised in what is known as the Piedmont region.

DEATH OF MRS. M. A. HARRISON

Old and Well-Known Resident Passes Away Last Night in Her 92d. Year.

Mrs. Mary A. Harrison, widow of Joshua Harrison, died early last night at her home, 118 south Royal street. The deceased was in her 92d year. Her funeral will take place Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Harrison is survived by a sister, Mrs. Sarah A. Kinslow, of this city, and two children—Councilman John T. Harrison and Mrs. Ellen Darley. She was born at Stony Ridge Baltimore county, Md., and came to Alexandria, in 1852 and had since resided here. After rearing her own family she took a prominent part in rearing grandchildren, and long before her decease had been equally active in the labors incident to the care of grate-grandchildren. Mrs. Harrison enjoyed an extensive acquaintance, among who she was justly esteemed.

DEATH OF MRS. YOUNG.

Mrs. Catherine C. Young, wife of Banner T. Young, of the Alexandria police force, died at her home 301 Queen street, this morning at 2 o'clock after a long illness. Besides her husband she is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Kate Phillips.

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INTEREST IN MEETINGS

Rev. O. W. Triplett, Pastor Second Baptist Church, Speaker Last Night

The Union Services at the First Baptist Church were again largely attended last evening and Rev. O. W. Triplett, pastor of the Second Baptist Church, preached the sermon.

He took as his theme Ezekiel's vision of the preservation of the righteous and destruction of the wicked and where the prophet said, "in the midst of the slaying I was left." He said human life is for a great and noble purpose. It is to be consecrated to God, and used to win souls to the Lord.

The speaker alluded to some in a family being taken by death and others left. He said God wants your service and mine and thus in mercy spares us.

These were several requests for prayers and many church members reconsecrated their lives.

Services this evening at 7:30.

CHARTERS GRANTED

Charters have een granted by the State Corporation Commission to the following concerns with legal domicile in this city:

South Washington Storage Corporation, South Washington, Va., minimum capital $1,000 and maximum $100,000. Charles F. Diggs, Washington, president and E. J. Fleming, Alexandria, secretary.

Potomac Gardens, incorporated maximum capital, $50,000; minimum $1,000; nursery business; Richard B Washington, Alexandria, president; Louis N. Duffey. Alexandria, secretary.

Potomac Country Club, incorporated; maximum capial $300,000; minimum $1,000, conduct a country club; R. B. Alexander, Alexandria, president; Louis N. Duffey, Alexandria, secretary.

ECHO OF BREWERY STRIKE.

Alleged Picket Struck with Whip by Driver of Wagon.

An echo of the strike of the brewers and bottlers of the Portner Brewing Co., was heard in police court this morning, when Justice Caton imposed a fine of $5 on Tannie Trigger, a driver for the brewery, for hitting Joseph Reynolds, a former employe with a whip. According to the testimony Reynolds was "picketing" for the strikers and approached a wagon that was being loaded with beer in front of the brewery. Attorney H. Noel Garner, appeared for Trigger, and noted an appeal.

ELECTRICIA AT OPERA HOUSE.

Don't fail to see the mysterious "Electricia," She lights torches with her tongue tomorrow night. She is the only human being that has ever defied the death chair of Sing Sing Prison. When strapped in her chair and the current turned on her body becomes intensely heated and she actually lights electric globes by touching them with her tongue, lights torches, cigarettes and cigars from her finger and many other marvelous feats. Prices 10 and 15 cents.

HALLOW'EEN CARNIVAL.

The Westminister Club of the Second Presbyterian Church have made arrangements for a carnival on Monday night, November 1st. There will be good music and choice edibles, on the occasion. The proceeds will be devoted to the coming Christmas celebration and to the Westminister Club.

Opera House
2 Shows Each Night
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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexandria—Happenings In Society.

Mrs. Menry O'Bannon Cooper, has issued invitations for November 3, from 4 to 5 o'clock, to meet Mrs. Green.

The first of the series of dances to be given this season by the Alexandria Assembly will take place tomorrow night at the Elks' Hall. The dances, which were so much enjoyed last winter, promise to be equally enjoyable during the season of 1915-16. A large number of guests are expected to be present at the first dance tomorrow night.

Miss Lucy C. Deahl, daughter of the late Horace P. Deahl, of Berryville, Va., and Dr. B. F. Montgomery of Stevens Citly, Va., were married yesterday in Grace Episcopal Church by the Rev. Edgar Carpenter, in the presence of their relatives. After the ceremony Dr. and Mrs. Montgomery left for a Northern tour.

Judge and Mrs. C. E. Nicol were among the guests at a dinner party given last night at the Lord Baltimore Club near Washington, by Col. and Mrs. George A. Armes, in compliment of former Mayor and Mrs. David S. Rose, of Milwaukee.

Miss Madeline Frances Laycock, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. George E. Laycock, and Harry A. Butcher, were married last night at the parsonage of the First Baptist Church, by the Rev. W. F. Watson, D.D., pastor.

PROTEST TO BRITAIN.

American Note Against Order In Council and Trade Interference On The Way.

Washington, Oct. 28.—The American note to Great Britain protesting against the order in council and interference with American trade is now on the way to London, by special messenger, Alexander W. Kirk, third secretary of the American Embassy to Berlin, who will deliver it to Ambassador Page next Monday.

Mr. Kirk, who is returning to his post at Berlin, had arranged to pass through London and was entrusted with the delivery of the document. It is more than 10,000 wards in length and contains many statistics. To avoid mistaken transmission by cable it is understood the note was sent by messenger. Mr. Kirk, sailed from New York last Sunday on the steamship Finland.

The document is the first general protest sent by the United States to Great Britain since March 30. At the time of the resignation of former Secretary Bryan in June, it was understood that the latter insisted on its immediate dispatch. President Wilson on account of the submarine controversy with Germany, decided, however, to await a clarification of relations with the Berlin Foreign Office before renewing representations to Great Britain.

When settlement of the Arabic case was made by Count von Bernstorff, a few weeks ago, Secretary Lansing announced that the British note would go in a few days. It was before President Wilson nearly three weeks, however, and no announcement has been made as to the reasons for its delay.

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WORK OF BRITISH NAVY

British submarines are virtually in charge of the Baltic, and the hazard to German shipping has become so great that steamers of that nation have been ordered to remain in port. Destruction of German steamers is reported daily, and the boast that the British Isles would be effectelly bottled up by German submarines has not materialized. On the contrary, Germany is becoming more effectually bottled up every day. The Norfolk Virginian-Pilot in commenting on the present conditions says:

Germany may be altogether sincere in her rather boastful claim of ability to feed herself indefinitely, but the outsider is calculated to experience some difficulty in reconciling her protestations of independence in that regard with the stricter measures of price regulation and distribution which the Imperial Government is taking in connection with certain food supplies. The wise foresight and efficiency with which the governmental authorities early in the war undertook to safeguard the civilian population against the consequences of waste and speculation, while always keeping first in mind the welfare of the armies in the field, have no doubt operated, in no small degree, to conserve the resources of the Empire, but there are, of course limits to what even the most scientific management and the most rigorous disciplinary measures can accomplish in that respect. Human agencies are powerless to duplicate the miracle of the loaves and fishes, and the appetite of the average person is not to be regulated by imperial decree. For the last several months the only outside source to which Germany could look for additional supplies was Scandinavia, and now the recently developed submarine activity on the part of the British in the Baltic Sea has rendered extremely hazardous, if it has not broken up, regular traffic with Sweden and Norway. If the strain on German resources, particularly in the matter of food supplies is not approaching a serious point then those resources must be a great deal greater than they have ever been credited with being by the outside world.

VENERABLE STRUCTURE.

As is stated elsewhere in the Gazette, the managers of the Ann Lee Memorial Home have purchased the large brick house at the northeast corner of Cameron and Fairfax streets, for their purposes, and will modernize the structure so as to render it a suitable home for the aged and indigent.

This is one of Alexandria's oldest landmarks. The Braddock House, the Herbert House, as this is called, and the Kell house, on the southeast corner of Queen and Fairfax streets, were built before the revolutionary war, when Alexandria was under the British flag, with her streets named after royalty, showing the tory propensities of our progenitors. Princess was the northern boundary. Duke the southern, Royal the western and the Potomas the eastern.

The house now owned by the Ann Lee Memorial Home was constructed by Thomas Herbert, in 1755, shortly after John Carlyle built the colonial home now known as the Braddock House.

Many years after it had been used as a palatial residence it lay as a white elephant upon the real estate market, being used for different purposes, at one time as a public house and at another as a tenement house. Of late it was utilized as a home for aged and indigent women.

Many years ago Samuel Tennesson, the restaurateur whose fame extended beyond the limits of Alexandria, occupied the house. It was here he conducted his eating house for a long time and where Tennesson's fried oysters attained a reputation almost as great as the viands prepared in Delmonico's in New York. During the winter season a visit to Alexandria was disappointing without partaking of bivalves prepared by Tennesson.

DOCTOR OPPOSE TRIAL BY JURY.

Characterizing trial by jury as an "old, wornout fetish," a mode of meting out justice between man and man that "has outlived its usefulness," Dr. John T. Graham, of Wytheville, former president of the Southwest Medical Society, said yesterday afternoon, addressing the Medical Society of Virginia in the auditorium of the Jefferson Hotel, Richmond, that it seems unreasonable that the judgment of a physician, testifying as an expert on insanity, should be passed on by a jury composed of untrained and nonprofessional minds.

Dr. Graham, said, that trial by jury—judgment passed on professional knowledge by nonprofessional minds — is the main reason for the popular opposition to this plea as a defense before the law.

"The physician," said Dr. Graham, "must give special study and have special preparation to be qualified to practice medicine, yet judgment is passed on his professional knowledge by a jury of untrained and nonprofessional minds. Trial by jury has outlived its day of usefullness, and in many instances has become a farce.

"A lawyer can no longer go into court depending solely on the justice of his case and his knowledge of the law, nor can he rest secure in the preponderance of evidence for his claim, but he must engage in a sparring match with the attorneys for the other side in the selection of a jury, and he is accounted the best and most successful lawyer who knows whom to put on and whom to strike off the jury. And yet this is all done in the name of justice."

"CHAMPION OF CHRISTIANITY."

Rev. Nathaniel S. Thomas, Bishop of Cheyenne, Wyo., offered a resolution, which was adopted unanimously by the Board of Missions of the Episcopal Church in New York yesterday, that the Board send a memorial to Emperor William of Germany, "as a well-known champion of Christianity" to use his influence with the Sultan of Turkey to assuage the ravages of religious persecution wich have been inflicted by the Turks upon the Armenians."

Constantine, one of the most unscrupulous and cruel sovereigns of the long ago, masqueraded as a Christian most of his life, but, according to historians, he never bore any fruit. Eusebius, a church father, tells us that Constantine, when upon his death bed, told him he was animated to become a champion of Christianity and to effect a union between church and state by a remarkable sign he saw in the sky, in the shape of a cross under which were the words, "In hoc signo vinces." Has Emperor William seen any signs in the sky? Bishop Thomas calls him the champion of Christianity. He must be a successor of Constantine, as the latter claimed he had a heavenly commission.

NEWS OF THE DAY

John Race, a prosperous farmer, and his wife, were found shot to death in their home in Leslie County, Ky., yesterday. The shots had been fired through a window.

A telegram from Copenhagen says the food crisis in Berlin is causing panic. The poor are verging on starvation, women are storming the shops and crying for food, and there are broken windows everywhere.

Two-thousand machinists employed in making bodies for automobiles for war orders by the Theodore Kundtz plant at Cleveland, went on a strike yesterday after presenting demands for shorter hours and increased wages

Contracts have been signed by William M. Wood, president of the American Woolen Company, of Boston for the delivery of 5,000,000 yards of uniform cloth to the Russian Government. The order is said to be the largest ever placed at one time in the history of the trade.

British submarines have sunk four more German steamers in the Baltic.

In a revolver duel between safeblowers and policemen of Chicago Heights, a suburb, early yesterday one yeggman was killed and two of the gang were captured. Two others escaped.

A. G. Gillesbie, aged 17 years, was run over yesterday near Harpers Ferry, by a Baltimore and Ohio freight he was attempting to board and so badly injured that he died within half an hour. He was an employe of the Baltimore and Ohio at the transfer sheds in Brunswick.

While King George of England and President Poincare of France were visiting the allied front on Tuesday, several six inch shells fired by the Germans burst within 200 yards of the King and President. All the while they were on the front the Germans kept up a furious bombardment.

The construction of a giant war aeroplane for the United States Navy will be undertaken at once at the Washington Navy Yard. This will be the first aeroplane to be constructed at a navy yard, but it is the plan of the department to build them regularly in this way in the future.

Reports reaching Manila indicate that a typhoon Tuesday and the day before in the southern part of the island was more disastrous than indicated in earlier dispatches. Nearly 200 persons were killed and about 700 injured, and the property damage to the crops of rice, hemp, and tobacco will be about $1,000,000. A portion of the volcano of Mayon was disrupted by a gigantic landslide.

Pretty Mrs. Elizabeth Jane Austin, young millinery model and erstwhile motion picture actress, stole exactly $700 worth of love, kisses, caresses and affection of James Murray Mitchell, stock broker, which rightfully should have been received by Mrs. Anna A. Mitchell, a jury in the Supreme Court of New York decided yesterday. Mrs. Mitchell claimed to have been mulcted of $25,000 worth of her husband's marital solicitude.

England is going to levy reprisals upon Germans for the execution of Miss Edith Cavell, the nurse who was shot to death in Belgium. Lord Robert Cecil, of the Foreign Office, announced yesterday in the house of commons that reparation would be exacted for the maltreatment of all persons, no matter what their rank, at the hands of the Germans. "This will be especially so as regards the brutal murder of Miss Cavell," said Lord Cecil.

More than 3,000,000 Japanses made rifles with sufficient ammunition for an extended campaign have been received by Russia during the last three months. In addition about 500 trained Japanses officers are engaged in instructing Russian artillerymen in the use of new high powered guns. All large factories in Russia, including several purchased from American interests, are engaged in turning out munitions in preparation for a big drive that is expected to begin in the early spring.

Thomas G. Forney, found guilty of conspiracy to take the life of his wealthy father in law, T. Franklin Schneider, of Washington, D. C., was sentenced yesterday by Judge L. L. Davis, in Criminal Court, in Pittsburg, to from four to eight years in the Western Penitentiary. George McHenry, a waiter of Washington, an accomplice in the conspiracy, was given a sentence from three to six years H. C. Carlisle, another accomplice, a sentence of six month, in jail, and H. C. Bowers, found guilty, has asked for a new trial.

Anna Benazet, of Verviers, Belgium was sentenced to death by a German court-martial at Leggs on Monday. This woman was one of nine persons convicted by the court-martial. Seven of them were Belgians and the others French. In four cases sentence of death was passed and the other prisoners were condemned to terms of from ten to fifteen years in prison The charge against them was of having collected information useful to the French government, for which it was intended. The sentences of death have not yet been carried out.

FORCED TO SLAY FATHER

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 28.— Raymond Barnhart, aged 13 years, walked into the town hall at Forty Fort near here, Tuesday and told the police that he shot his father, William Barnhart late Saturday night at the home of his aunt, when his father attacked his mother.The victim of the shooting has been in a hospital in a serious condition, and until the boy's confession, the shooting was a mystery.

The boy told the police his father attempted to attack his mother. The woman, with three children, rushed to the home of her sister. The husband followed and attempted to assault her.

The boy says he knew where his aunt kept a revolver, and obtained it. The father saw him with the weapon and made a grab for it; but the boy pulled the trigger, and the bullet took effect in the side of the father's head.

The boy was held by Judge Fuller, in Juvenile Court, pending an investigation.

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ALBANIANS ATTACK SERBIANS

Missionaries Urge to Flee From War Zone

Sofia, Bulgaria, Oct. 28—Albanians in the Kossovo district of Serbia (the Prinzrend region) have begun hostilities against the Serbians, according to the official statement by the Bulgarian war office issued today.

The statement, which recounts the capture of quantities of war material by the Bulgarians is as follows:

"The offensive continues along the entire front.

"In Negotin we found great quantities of flour and oats. In the harbor of Kussicke, on the Danube west of Prahovo, we found 4,000 winter waistcoats, 2,000 hoods, 2,000 military caps, and 30 boxes of ammunition. Near Kujazeva we captured 4 field guns, 6 cases of ammunition, 1 captain, and 30 men.

"In the district of Kossovo the Albanians have commenced hostilities against the Serbians.

"Several Serbian officers remained in Uskup. The Serbian authorities, while advising American missionaries and other foreigners to leave Uskup, as they said the Bulgarians were barbarians and would kill them, left their own families there, saying that the Bulgarians would not harm them."

MURDERED BY IDLE GOSSIP

So Jury Says of Woman Suicide After "Poison" 'Phone Calls.

Western Springs, Ill., Oct. 28.—Although a jury here Tuesday gave the authorities the name of the "murderer" of Mrs. Ida Bodman, formerly Miss Ida Stevens, of Boston, there will never be a trial. The verdict as it appears on the records is "killed by idle gossip."

Mrs. Bodman, recently began to receive "poisoned" telephone calls. She knew others were receiving them by the way her new friends avoided her. Last Saturday she tucked her children in bed, kissed them good night and then shot herself.

At a Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 27th day of October, 1915.

Elizabeth B. W. Gosnell, Complainant,
vs IN CHANCERY
Fletcher C. Gosnell, Defendant.

An affidavit having been duly made as required by law, that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, and that he cannot be found within the jurisdiction of this State, and the sergeant having made a return upon the original process or summons issued herein that the defendant is a non-resident of his bailiwick, and application having been duly made to the Clerk of the Court for an order of publication against the said defendant to appear and answer a bill in chancery filed by the complainant against the defendant for an absolute divorce on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit, and an order of publication having been duly granted by the Clerk of the Court, it is therefore ordered that said defendant do appear here within 15 days after due publication hereof to answer the suit of complainant against the defendant for an absolute divorce on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit, and to do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in Alexandria City, Virginia and that a copy be sent by registered mail by the clerk of this court to the last known place of address, residence and abode of defendant towit: Box 511 Bluefield, West Virginia, as stated in the application for this order of publication which shall be certified by the clerk of this court, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the courthouse of this court on or before the next rule day of this court.

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The annual stockholders meeting of the Alexandria Water Company will be held, Monday, November 1st, at 10 a. m. o'clock, at the office of the company. GEORGE UHLER, Secretary.

VIRGINIA NEWS

Charles Plaugher, 45 years old, was killed Tuesday near Hinton, Rockingham county, when he was caught in the belting of a rock crusher he was operating. One arm was torn from his shoulder and his skull, nose, ribs and hip were fractured.

Mrs. Charlotte Payne Winston, 8[illegible] years old, widow of J. H. Winston, a Bristol pioneer, died yesterday. She was a cousin of Mrs. Norman Galt of Washington, a grand-niece of the wife of President Madison. She was also a great granddaughter of Alexander Spottwood, Colonial Governor of Virginia.

Deaderick Seagoins, under sentence of death for the murder of Chief of Police George Campbell, of Johnson City, Tenn., is one of 18 prisoners who escaped from the Knoxville jail Monday night, most of whom are still at large. Seagoins, is regarded as a desperate negro. He shot Chief Campbell to death apparently without provocation and without warning. The negro was earlier arrested in Bristol for a disturbance He was released and went to Johnson City.

Despondent because of financial troubles that caused a nervous breakdown, Roswell Broughton, cashier of the Norfolk postoffice, committed suicide yesterday morning by shooting himself through the heart. A note was left by Broughton, in which it was stated that he had been suffering mental and physical torture and reference was made to the financial obligations that he was unable to meet. These obligations, it was stated, were mainly in the shape of notes that he had endorsed for other people.

At least 11 candidates nominated in the August primary by the Democrats for Campbell county and district offices have failed to get their names on the official ballots for the election Tuesday. The candidates failed to comply with the law by notifying the County Clerk, 20 days prior to the election. With the Socialists making a bid for a number of the offices, the party workers are taking steps to have the names of the nominees placed on the tickets by rubber stamps These omissions will cause considerable extra work at many of the polling places, if the Democrats are to be elected.

John King, alias Sam Holland, serving one year in the State Penitentiary for stealing a saddle, was pardoned by Governor Stuart yesterday, and turned over to Tennessee authorities to answer a charge of murder. King is alleged to have killed Tim Harnett near Bearnstadt, Ky., a month ago and Marsh Wilson, near Yellow Creek Tenn., in June, 1912. King stole a mule in Tennessee several weeks ago and fled to Dickinson county, Virginia, where he was detected in the theft of a saddle. He was convicted and sentenced to one year in prison. The Tennessee authorities learned of his whereabouts and issued a requisitoin for him.

Following a complaint of L. Cheman, William Flannagan, alias "Moon," colored, was arrested yesterday in Richmond, charged with the larceny of cash and checks amounting to nearly a thousand dollars, from the person of Cheman. Cheman said he was walking south on Monticello avenue, Tuesday, when Flannagan, in passing spat on his trousers just below the knee, as if by accident. Mr. Cheman stopped and the man began apologizing and wiping off his trousers. Mr. Cheman noticed, he said, that Flannagan did considerable more wiping and apologizing than he thought was necessary and hurried off eastward on Washington street. A few minutes later Mr. Cheman had occasion to use his pocketbook, and found that it was gone.

Judge Frank P. Christian, of Lynchburg, sitting for Judge A. A. Campbell, in Wytheville County Circuit Court, decided yesterday the case of the Farmers' Bank of Wytheville against J. C. and J. R. McGavock, involving nearly $12,000. The bank secured a judgment against the McGavocks for $5,500 in February, 1896 The original writ was signed by the deputy clerk of the court, while the Constitution of Virginia requires that the writ must be attested by the clerk. Upon this point Judge Christian decided the case in favor of the defendants. An appeal was noted. The point is n new one and if sustained, by the Supreme Court it will make void many judgments obtained in the courts in Virginia.

Adequate facilities for the care of the feebleminded in this State will be asked of the Legislature at its next session by a committee of the Virginia Medical Society convention, which will be appointed, according to a resolution which was unanimously passed at the meeting of the convention yesterday. The resolution was offered by Dr. O. C. Wright, of Jarrett, following a paper on the subject by Dr. L. T. Royster, of Norfolk. The resolution was seconded, but was later supplanted by a second resolution by Dr. P. S. Schenck, of Norfolk, who moved that before making an appeal to the General Assembly the committee draft a definite plan for taking care of the matter and then present this plan to the Legislature.

When the Virginia Baptist General Association, which includes all of the Baptists in the State, holds its annual convention in Clarendon, November 18 to 22, inclusive, it expects to have two distinguished speakers—President Wilson and Secretary of the Navy Josephus Daniels—on the program. A committee went to Washington recently to extend an invitation to the President and Secretary A letter has been received from Mr Daniels, in which he made a positive engagement to address the Baptists Sunday afternoon, November 21, and a letter from President Wilson indicated he would more than likely appear.

With 17 bullet holes in the intestines of his stomach, George Brock, colored, is alive at the Protestant Hospital, in Norfolk, and physicians state that he will probably recover. Brock was brought to the hospital Saturday night from Pleasant Ridge, Princess Anne county, where he had been shot in the back with a pistol by a negro named Junius Bright. The bullet had entered the lower part of the man's back and penetrated the stomach. In going through the stomach it ploughed 17 holes in the man's intestines.

After a thorough investigation Chief of Police Mitchell of Newport News, announced that the killing of young Walter Starmer, aged sixteen years old, who was shot on Sunday night by his playmate, "Buddie" Martin, seventeen, was accidental and no arrest would be made. The coroner's jury rendered a verdict of accidental death. The principals and several friends had been shooting at targets with a 22-caliber rifle. Young Martin asked to be allowed to shoot the rifle, and was handed the weapon with the remark that there was nothing in it. After snapping it several times it finally fired, the bullet taking effect just under young Starmer's heart.

AUCTION SALES

BY SAMUEL H. LUNT, Auctioneer. AUCTION SALE OF DESIRABLE HOUSE AND LOT, KNOWN AS LOT NO. 4, HUME AVENUE, HUME ADDITION TO ST. ELMO, IN THE COUNTY OF ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

Pursuant to the terms of a deed of trust given on the 15th day of January, 1915, and duly recorded amongst the land records of the county of Alexandria, Virginia, in deed book No. 146 page 242, to the undersigned trustees, default having been made in the payment of one of the notes secured thereby, and being required by the holder of the said note, the said trustees will offer for sale on TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 1915, at 4 o'clock, P. M., in front of the premises, in the County of Alexandria, Virginia, all that lot of ground in the County of Alexandria, Virginia, with the buildings and improvements thereon, known as lot no. 4 Hume Avenue, Hume Addition to St. Elmo, bounded and described as follows to-wit: Beginning at a stake in the north line of Hume Avenue, said stake being south 88 degrees 40 minutes west 226.22 feet from an iron pipe at the intersection of said north line of Hume Avenue with the southwest right of way of the Washington and Old Dominion Railroad, thence with the north line of said Hume Avenue, south 88 degrees 40 minutes west thirty-five feet to a point thence departing from said Avenue north 1 degree 20 minutes west 105.0 feet to a stake thence north 88 degrees 40 minutes east thirty-five feet to a stake; thence south 1 degree 20 minutes east 105.0 feet to the beginning containing 3,675 square feet. The property to be sold subject to a first trust of fifteen hundred dollars, dated December first, 1914.

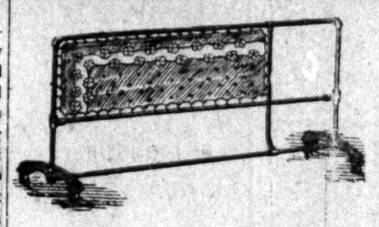
Terms of sale: All cash above said trust. Conveyance at the cost of the purchaser.

SAMUEL V. GUSACK
JOSEPH S. HARPER.
Trustees

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the University Club Building Company of Washington, D. C., Incorporated, will be held on the 15th day of November 1915, at 11 o'clock A. M., at the principal office of the Company, in the state of Virginia, 119 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, for the purpose of electing a board of directors and receiving and acting upon the reports of the officers and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated the 18th day of October 1915.
RALPH P. BARNARD,
Secretary.



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By SAMUEL H. LUNT, Auctioneer. Commissioners' Sale

Pursuant to and by authority of a degree entered on September 22nd, 1915, in the suit pending in the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, wherein Charles Kicherer and others, are complainants, and Katherine Simpson and others are defendants, the undersigned will expose for sale, at public auction, on Saturday, November 13, 1915, at noon, in front of market building on Royal street, Alexandria, Va., the following described parcels of real estate in this city:

Parcel No. 1: A lot and improvements thereon, known as 704 S. Washington street, beginning on the east side of Washington Street, at the southwest corner of Merchant's property, being twenty feet two and one-half inches south of the south line of Franklin street and running thence south on Washington Street, thirty-seven feet; thence east parallel with Franklin Street, ninety feet; thence north parallel with Washington street, thirty-seven feet, and thence west ninety feet to the point of beginning on Washington street, and all appurtenances.

Parcel No. 2: A lot on the south side of Franklin street, beginning at the northeast corner of said Merchant's property being 90 feet east of the east line of Washington street, and running thence east on Franklin street, 22 feet, 5 inches; thence South parallel with Washington street, 95 feet, 2 1-2 inches; thence West parallel with Franklin street, 22 feet, 5 inches, and thence north parallel with Washington street, 95 feet, 2 1-2 inches to the point of beginning, on Franklin street, with all appurtenances.

Parcel No. 3—A lot on south side of Franklin street adjoining parcel No. 2, on the east, fronting on Franklin street, 22 feet, 5 inches, and same width, 95 feet, 2 1-2 inches deep and all appurtenances.

Parcel No. 4—A lot on south side of Franklin street, adjoining parcel No. 3, on the east, fronting on Franklin street, 22 feet, 5 inches, and same width; 95 feet, 2 1-2 inches deep, and all appurtenances.

Parcel No. 5—A lot on the south side of Franklin Street, adjoining parcel No. 4 on the east, fronting on Franklin Street, 22 feet, 5 inches, same width, 95 feet, 2 1-2 inches deep and all appurtenances.

Parcel No. 6—A lot on the south side of Franklin street. adjoining parcel No. 5 on the east, fronting on Franklin street, 22 feet 5 inches, same width, and 95 feet 2 1-2 inches deep, and all appurtenances.

Parcel No. 7—A lot on the south side of Franklin Street, adjoining parcel No. 6 on the east, fronting on Franklin street, 22 feet, 5 inches, and same width, 95 feet, 2 1-2 inches deep, and all appurtenances.

Parcel No. 8—A lot on the south side of Franklin street, fronting 22 feet, 4 inches more or less on Franklin street, and adjoining Parcel No 7 on the east, and bounded on the east by St. Asaph street, 95 feet, 2 1-2 inches, and all appurtenances.

Parcel No. 9—A lot of ground with the building thereon, known as 801 south Washington street, beginning at the intersection of west side of Washington Street, with the south side of Jefferson street. running thence south on Washington street 39 feet, 4 inches; thence west parallel to Jefferson street. 113 feet, 1 inch to an alley 20 feet wide; thence north 39 feet, 4 inches to Jefferson street, and thence east on Jefferson street 113 feet, 1 inch to the point of beginning, and all appurtenances.

The above real estate stands in the name of the late George Kicherer, and of which he died seized and possessed. Reference to Deed Book No. 57, page 420, Deed Book No. 61, page 45, page 418; land records of this city.

Terms of sale—One third cash, and the residue in two equal installments at six and twelve months, evidenced by notes of purchaser and bearing interest; and title retained until the whole purchase money is paid; or all cash, at the option of the purchaser.

John M. Johnson,
H. Noel Gainer,
Commissioners of Sale.

I certify that John M. Johnson, Commissioner of Sale, has executed the bond required in the suit of Charles Kicherer, et als, vs Katherine Simpson, et ala, with sufficient surety.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.

AUCTION SALE OF DESIRABLE HOUSE AND LOT, 310 NORTH ROYAL STREET.
By Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer

Pursuant to the terms of a deed of trust given on the 15th day of March, 1915, and duly recorded amongst the Land Records of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, in deed book No. 65 page 257, to the undersigned trustee, default having been made in the payment of one of the notes secured thereby, and being thereunto required by the holder of the said note, the said trustee will offer for sale on SATURDAY, OCTOBER 30, 1915, at 12 o'clock noon, in front of the Royal Street entrance to the Market Building, in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, all that lot of ground in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, with the buildings and improvements thereon, known as No. 310 North Royal Street, bounded and described as follows to-wit: Beginning on the west side of Royal Street 110 feet North of Queen Street and at the north line of a lot formerly Eagan's and running thence north on Royal Street 29 feet 6 inches to the middle of the partition between the house on the lot hereby conveyed and the house adjoining on the north; thence west parallel to Queen Street 90 feet; thence south parallel to Royal Street 29 feet 6 inches, more or less, the length of the first line; and thence east in a direct line 90 feet to the beginning with all appurtences to the same belonging or in any wise appertaining.

Terms of sale: Cash. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser.

JOHN D. NORMOYLE, Trustee.

AUCTION SALES

R. F. KNOX, Auctioneer. AUCTION SALE Of a Very Desirable HOUSE AND TRACT OF LAND On King Street Road Extended

Pursuant to the terms of a decree rendered by the Circuit Court of the County of Fairfax, Virginia, on the 20th day of September, 1915, in the chancery cause of Roxana Chichester, complainant, vs. Martha Helen Bradfield et als., defendants, pending in said Court, the undersigned, who by the terms of said decree, was appointed a Special Commissioner for the purpose, will offer for sale, at public auction, on the premises, at 12 o'clock Noon, on MONDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 1915 that tract of land in the County of Fairfax, Virginia, of which the late Columbus C. Chichester died seized and possessed, with the buildings and improvements thereon, bounded as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the intersection of the Seminary road with the Middle Turnpike road and running up said Turnpike road, north, 38 1-4 degrees, west, 54 poles to a stake corner to Camp; thence across the field, south, 50 degrees, west, 54 1-2 poles to a bunch of persimmon trees on the Seminary road; thence up the road, south, 82 degrees, east, 15 poles, south, 64 degrees east 8 poles, south. 73 1-2 degrees, east, 13 poles, north 88 degrees east 40 1-2 poles to the beginning, containg 10 acres.

This is a very valuable tract of land, improved by a desirable DWELLING HOUSE and outbuildings, and is situated just beyond the corporate limits of the City of Alexandria on King Street road extended and on the Seminary road or Janney's Lane.

TERMS OF SALE:—One-third cash and the balance in three equal instalments, payable in one, two and three years after date; the deferred payments to bear interest at six per cent. per annum, to be evidenced by the notes of the purchaser and to be secured by deed of trust on the property, or, at the option of the purchaser all cash may be paid. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser.

GARDNER L BOOTHE,
Commissioner of Sale.

I, F. W. Richardson, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Fairfax County, Virginia, do hereby certify that Gardner L. Boothe, commissioner of sale in the above entitled cause, has entered into bond with approved security, as required by the above mentioned decree.

F. W. RICHARDSON,
Clerk of Circuit Court of Fairfax County, Virginia. Oct 16 1f.

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WANTED—To rent, buy or build a store on King street between Royal and Columbus streets, State size and price, Address A. B., Alexandria Gazette, 26-w.

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WANTED—A good settled white woman, as housekeeper. A good home for a settled woman. Apply after 6 o'clock, 416 Queen St. 25-2t.

FOR RENT— With board, 1 very large room in the Ramsay Annex. 2 unfurnished rooms near by, 2 rooms in my house, 517 Cameron street. Mrs. G. W. Ramsay. 23-1t

FOR RENT—To a desirable tenant, a large comfortable brick house, 10 rooms and bath, large yard, central location. $25.00. Robert Elliott Real Estate Agent, 127 S. Royal St.

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ANNUAL MEETING.

Annual meeting of stockholders of the Washington Safe Deposit Company Inc., will be held at the office of the company, No. 123 S. Royal street, Alexandria, Virginia, on Tuesday, November 2nd, 1915, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

ERSKINE GORDON, Secretary.

Eat oysters. Oyster week October 26 to 30, at Rammel's Cafe.

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA

OFFICE OF

CLERK OF THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES

Proposed amendments to the Constitution of Virginia, agreed to at session of General Assembly 1914, and published in pursuance of section 196 of the Constitution and act approved February 3, 1908.

JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to section 46, Article IV, of the Constitution.

Resolved by the House of Delegates, the Senate concurring (a majority of the members elected to each house agreeing thereto), That the following amendment to the Constitution of Virginia, be and the same is hereby, proposed and referred to the General Assembly to be chosen at the next general election of members of the House of Delegates for its concurrence, in conformity with the provisions of section one hundred and ninety-six of article fifteen of said Constitution, namely:

Strike out from the Constitution of Virginia, section forty-six of article four, which is in the following words:

Sec. 46. The General Assembly shall meet once in two years, on the second Wednesday in January, next succeeding the election of the members of the House of Delegates and not oftener, unless convened in the manner prescribed by this Constitution. No session of the General Assembly, after the first under this Constitution, shall continue longer than sixty days; but with the concurrence of three-fifths of the members elected to each house, the session may be extended for a period not exceeding thirty days. Except for the first session held under this Constitution, members shall be allowed a salary for not exceeding sixty days at any regular session, and for not exceeding thirty days at any extra session. Neither house shall, without the consent of the other, adjourn to another place nor for more than three days. A majority of the members elected to each house shall constitute a quorum to do business, but a smaller number may adjourn from day to day, and shall have power to compel the attendance of members in such manner and under such penalty as each house may prescribe.

And insert in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. 46. The General Assembly shall meet once in two years, on the second Wednesday in January, next succeeding the election of the members of the House of Delegates, and not oftener, unless convened in the manner prescribed by this Constitution. No session of the General Assembly shall continue longer than ninety days, except that with the concurrence of three-fifths of the members elected to each house, the session may be extended for a period not exceeding thirty days. Neither house shall, without the consent of the other, adjourn to another place, not for more than three days. A majority of the members elected to each house shall constitute a quorum to do business, but a smaller number may adjourn from day to day, and shall have power to compel the attendance of members in such manner and under such penalty as each house may prescribe.

JOINT RESOLUTION proposing amendment to section 50 of Article IV of the Constitution of Virginia, and providing for publishing said amendment, and certifying the same to the next General Assembly.

1. Resolved by the House of Delegates, the Senate concurring (a majority of the members elected to each house agreeing thereto), That the following amendment to the Constitution of Virginia, be and the same is hereby, proposed and referred to the General Assembly to be chosen at the next general election of members of the House of Delegates for its concurrence, in conformity with the provisions of section fifty of article four of said Constitution, namely:

Strike out from the Constitution of Virginia, section fifty, article four, which is in the following words:

Sec. 50. No law shall be enacted except by bill. A bill may originate in either house, to be approved or rejected by the other, or may be amended by either, with the concurrence of the other.

No bill shall become a law unless prior to its passage it has been—

(a) Referred to a committee of each house, considered by such committee in session, and reported;

(b) Printed by the house in which it originated, prior to its passage therein;

(c) Read at length on three different calendar days in each house and unless,

(d) A yea and nay vote has been taken in each house upon its final passage, the names of the members voting for and against entered on the journal, and a majority of those voting, which shall include at least two-fifths of the members elected to each house, recorded in the affirmative.

And only in the manner required in sub-division (d) of this section shall an amendment to a bill by one house be concurred in by the other, or a conference report be adopted by either house, or either house discharge a committee from the consideration of a bill and consider the same as if reported; provided, that the printing and reading, or either, required in sub-division (b and c) of this section, may be dispensed with in a bill to codify the laws of the State, and in any case of emergency by a vote of four-fifths of the members voting in each house taken by the yeas and nays, the names of the members voting for and against, entered on the journal; provided further, that no bill which creates or establishes a new office, or which creates, continues or revives a debt or charge or makes, continues or revives any appropriation of public or trust money or property, or releases, or discharges; or commutes any claim or demand of the State, or which imposes, continues or revives a tax, shall be passed except by the affirmative vote of the majority of all the members elected to each house, the vote to be by the yeas and nays, and the names of the members voting for and against, entered on the journal. Every law imposing, continuing or reviving a tax shall specifically state such tax, and no law shall be construed as so stating such tax, which requires a reference to any other law or any other tax. The presiding officer of each house shall, in the presence of the house over which he presides, sign every bill which has been passed by both houses and duly enrolled. Immediately before this is done, all other business being suspended, the title of the bill shall be publicly read. The fact of the signing shall be entered on the journal.

And insert in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. 50. No law shall be enacted except by bill. A bill may originate in either house to be approved or rejected by the other, or may be amended by either, with the concurrence of the other.

No bill shall become a law unless prior to its passage it has been:

(a) Referred to a committee of each house, considered by such committee in session, and reported;

(b) Printed by the house in which it originated prior to its passage therein;

(c) Read at length at least once in each house; and unless,

(d) A yea and nay vote has been taken in each house upon its final passage, the names of the members voting for and against entered on the journal, and a majority of those voting, which shall include at least two-fifths of the members elected to each house, recorded in the affirmative.

And only in the manner required in sub-division "d" of this section shall an amendment to a bill by one house be concurred in by the other, or a conference report be adopted by either house, or either house discharge a committee from the consideration of a bill and consider the same as if reported; provided, that the printing and reading, or either, required in sub-divisions "d" and "c" of this section, may be dispensed with in a bill to codify the laws of the State, and in any case of emergency, by vote of four-fifths of the members voting in each house, taken by the yeas and nays, the names of the members voting for and against entered on the journal; and provided further, that no bill which creates or establishes a new office, or which creates, continues, or revives a debt or charge, or makes, continues, or revives any appropriation of public or trust money or property, or releases, discharges, or commutes any claim or demand of the State, or which imposes, continues, or revives a tax, shall be passed, except by the affirmative vote of the majority of all the members elected to each house, the vote to be by the yeas and nays, and the names of the members voting for and against entered on the journal. Every law imposing, continuing, or reviving a tax shall specifically state such tax, and no law shall be construed as so stating such tax which requires a reference to any other law or any other tax. The presiding officer of each house shall, in the presence of the house over which he presides, sign every bill which has been passed by both houses and duly enrolled. Immediately before this is done, all other business being suspended, the title of the bill shall be publicly read. The fact of the signing shall be entered on the journal.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of amendments proposed to the Constitution and agreed to by the General Assembly of Virginia, session 1914, and the same is published in pursuance of section 196 of the Constitution and act of the General Assembly, approved February 3, 1908.

JOHN W. WILLIAMS,
Clerk House of Delegates of Virginia.

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